

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : John C. Batterton et al.                      Art Unit : 2853  
Serial No. : 10/749,833                                      Examiner : Geoffrey S. Mruk  
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated November 9, 2006, be extended for one month to and including January 9, 2007.

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Respectfully submitted,

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